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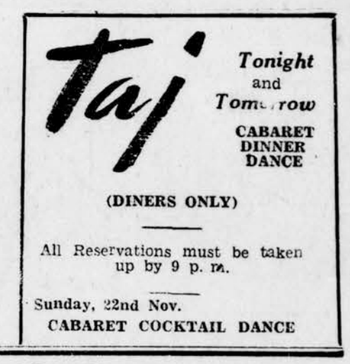
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Franco Declines To Oblige Hitler

NO NAVAL OR AIR BASES TO GERMANY

R.A.F. RAID ON TURIN: INTENSIVE AIR ATTACK ON AXIS CONVOY

LONDON, November 19.

General Franco has refused to grant Germany naval and air bases, according to usually well-informed diplomatic circles in Ankara.

It is stated that the General emphasises that Germany's approach to the Spanish frontier brings war nearer to Spain.

CLASHES IN TUNISIA

IT IS OFFICIALLY ANNOUNCED IN CAIRO THAT THE ADVANCED TROOPS OF THE EIGHTH ARMY WERE YESTERDAY IN TOUCH WITH THE ENEMY SOUTHWARD OF BENGHAZI.

THE R.A.F. BOMBED TUNIS AERODROME ON TUESDAY NIGHT.

THE R.A.F. ALSO BOMBED DOCKS IN BENGHAZI AND ALSO DESTROYED TEN GERMAN TRANSPORT AIRCRAFT.

THE R.A.F. HAS SUNK A LARGE AXIS TANKER IN THE MEDITERRANEAN.

The German controlled Paris Radio said to-day "the first clashes in Tunisia between the Allied and Axis troops have taken place in three districts: In a coastal area, further south in Medeel and still further south in the so-called Tunisian Mamelows."

The Radio Morocco announced on Thursday that the "distance between the third Allied motorised column advancing towards Tunis from Chad area well south of the desert and the First and Eighth Armies is about 400 miles—same as that between the First and Eighth Armies."

The Algiers Radio stated to-day that the advance of General Anderson's First Army in Tunisia is "continuous and decided."

The German Radio contradicting its previous report said shortly before noon to-day (Thursday) that "Axis troops have not yet come into contact with the Allied forces in Tunisia. News from this African theatre of war points to the fact that the Axis is determined to localise Anglo-American forces to a certain region."—Reuter.

R. A. F. Attack On Tunis

It is announced today that R. A. F. Fighters from Malta attacked Tunis aerodrome yesterday under difficult flying conditions. Bombs burst across runways and among buildings. Many fires and explosions were caused, some among hangars.

The New York Radio says it is estimated that General Giraud's men whom he is personally leading on the Tunisian front total 30,000, including thousands of the Foreign Legion.

Axis Rear-Guard Action

The sinking of a tanker in a convoy carrying vital fuel oil for Rommel and intensive air attacks against Axis transport in the Antelat-Magrun area constituted the main Allied air effort yesterday, says Reuter's Special Correspondent. Despite the intensive anti-aircraft fire, the Royal Air Force torpedo-carrying aircraft launched the attack on the tanker from almost deck level.

On land a column of the Eighth Army yesterday forced Rommel's men into action on the escarpment between Sceleidima and Antelat. It is not known how serious was the contact made, but it is believed to be part of the Axis rear-guard delaying action. The Axis forces have presumably formed a defensive position along the escarpment to protect transport moving along the coast. The escarpment runs north to south for about 20 miles inland from the coast between Benghazi and Antelat.

New U. S. Air Chief For European Theatre

WASHINGTON, Nov. 19.

The assignment of Major General Henry F. J. Miller as Commander of the Air Service Command of the United States Army Air Forces in the European theatre was announced to-day (Thursday) by the War Department. Major General Miller succeeds Major General Walter H. Frank and will serve under General Spaatz, Commanding the United States Air Forces in the European Theatre.—Reuter.

R. A. F. RAID TURIN

LONDON, Nov. 19.

An Air Ministry 'communique states that last night (Wednesday) aircraft of the Bomber Command attacked Fiat Works and other targets at Turin.

The sky over Northern Italy was clear and crews report good results. None of our aircraft is missing.—Reuter.

POONA EXPLOSIONS SEQUEL

Police Round Up Dozen College Students

POONA, Nov. 19.

The Poona police claim to have unearthed a gang of students responsible for the explosions at different places in the city during the last two months. As a result of extensive searches carried out by them during the last three days in different parts of the city, they have rounded up twelve school and college students, alleged to have been members of a gang engaged in bomb-making.

In the course of the searches, the police are reported to have recovered a number of partly manufactured crude bombs, a considerable quantity of gun powder and explosive chemicals, and other materials alleged to have been used for manufacturing bombs.

According to news reaching here from Sangamner an abortive attempt was made by some unknown persons to set fire to the Municipal building. The police are investigating.—A. P.

Echo Of R. A. F. Officers' 'Murder'

PATNA, Nov. 19.

The Fatwa murder case arising out of the alleged murders of two R.A.F. Officers by mob demonstrators at the Fatwa Railway Station early in August will be heard in the Bankipur jail before a special Judge of Patna, says a Bihar Gazette Extraordinary.—United Press.

New Mayor Of Madras

MADRAS, November 19.

Rao Bahadur C. Tadulinga Mudaliar, retired principal of the Agricultural College, Coimbatore, was unanimously elected Mayor of Madras for the ensuing year at a meeting of the City Council this evening.

Mr. C. Parthasarthy Naicker was elected Deputy Mayor.—A. P

TRAIN COLLISION NEAR CALCUTTA

CALCUTTA, Nov. 19.

The brake van of a goods train was smashed as a result of collision between a passenger train and a goods train at Brace Bridge on the Budge-Budge line, about nine miles from Calcutta to-day. The guard of the goods train was injured.—A.P.

Laval To Quit Vichy?

To Move Govt. Headquarters To Paris

LONDON, November 19.

The German controlled Paris radio broadcast violent attacks on "Deuxime Bureau" (Vichy French Military Intelligence Service) which it accused of maintaining contact with London and Washington and helping to "hand over North Africa to the Anglo-Saxon."

Mr. Marcel Deat in a statement quoted by the Announcer declared flatly that "M. Laval will transfer his Government to Paris, because Vichy has become the symbol of all that is rotten. The Government must be stripped of the barely camouflaged 'Degaullism' that has reigned at Vichy for two years." He added that M. Laval was unable to put certain things in writing "because London would have knowledge of them tomorrow."—Reuter.

Laval Gets Emergency Powers

VICHY, Nov. 19.

An official communique issued here to-night says, "On November 17 at 13.00 hours the Ministers and Secretaries of States held a Cabinet meeting presided over by Marshal Petain.

At its conclusion minutes signed by the Marshal and M. Lava, were drawn up. It was decided to have them inserted in the official journal.

The following is the text: "The head of the Government made a statement on the political and military situation. In particular he reported on information which Admiral Platon had brought back from a mission which he has just carried out in Tunisia.

Taking into account the exceptional circumstances the Marshal who continues as head of the state to embody French sovereignty and the permanency of the country has decided to give Prime Minister Laval the powers necessary to a head of the Government to enable him speedily to deal at any hour and in all places with the difficulties through which France is passing."

STATE SECRETARY LEAVES GOVT.

The Secretary of State for the Navy, Admiral Auphan and the Secretary of State for Communications, M. Gibrat have left the Vichy Government, it was officially announced on Wednesday.

Admiral Abrial has been appointed to succeed Admiral Auphan while M. Jean Bichelonn is to combine his existing post of Secretary of State for industrial production with that of communications.

The Secretary of State for Finance, M. Cathala becomes Minister for National Economy and Finance—a new post.

VIGERIE JOINS DE GAULLE

A message from London says:

General Daster De La Vigerie, whose equivalent rank in the R. A. F. is Air Marshal and who held one of the highest commands in the French air force, has arrived in London from France, it was announced on Wednesday.

He has come to join General De Gaulle with whom he had a long conversation to-night.

In June 1940 General Vigerie was given command of the air force in Morocco but held the post only till the following August when he was dismissed by Vichy for his pro-Allied attitude.

He had in fact helped many French airmen to escape to Britain. General Vigerie was accompanied from France by M. Leon Morandat, a prominent French trade unionist and a leading figure in the underground resistance movement.

M. Morandat is 29. Both men left France since the entry of the German army into the Vichy zone.

French Air Chief Joins Allies

LONDON, Nov. 19.

General Dastier De La Vigerie who held one of the highest commands in the French air force has joined General De Gaulle in London.

Russian Submarine Attacks German Vessel

ISTANBUL, Nov. 19

A Russian submarine attacked a German steamer in the Black Sea to-day. A torpedo tore a large hole in the steamer.

KARACHI, Nov. 19.

"I was not dying for ministry. You can take it from me. If I had not succeeded in forming the Ministry, you would have had a suspended constitution in this province", said the Premier, Sir Ghulam Hussain Hidayatullah, at a tea party given to the press this evening by Minister, Rao Saheb Gokul Das.

NEW STATUS FOR EGYPT

Representation On Footing Of Equality In Any Peace Negotiation

CAIRO, Nov. 19.

The Egyptian Prime Minister, Mr. Nahas Pasha, disclosed at the opening of Parliament to-day (Thursday) that the British Government had agreed to sponsor Egyptian representation at the Peace Conference. He read a letter from the British Ambassador, Sir Miles Lampson, which said:

"The British Government will employ its good offices with a view to ensuring that Egypt will be represented on a footing of equality in any peace negotiation which may directly affect its interests".

Mr. Nahas Pasha said: "I raised the question last June, because while the country is non-belligerent, she has suffered from repercussions of the war and has furnished her Allies all assistance in her power, in accordance with the clauses of the Anglo-Egyptian Treaty. Recent events have shown that this treaty is no simple pact between two parties eager to settle their differences, but is an imperious necessity for each. Egypt has been able to realise how much the representatives of the British Government and forces understand Egypt's view points in respect of the sovereignty and independence of the country and value Egypt's rights and interests".

Deputies repeatedly cheered the Prime Minister's references to the warm co-operation with Britain.—Reuter.

Soviet Scores At All Key Points In Stalingrad And Caucasus

MOSCOW, Nov. 19.

The Soviet midday 'communique' says "in area of Stalingrad our forces repelled enemy attacks. In the southern part of Stalingrad, our troops were engaged in active operations. They captured several enemy fortified positions.

South-east of Nalchik Soviet artillery disabled six tanks. North-east of Tuapse Soviet units continued active operations and gained some ground.

All counter-attacks were frustrated. Seven enemy aircraft were shot down.

200 GERMANS WIPED OUT

Reuter's special correspondent in Moscow writes: Soviet troops have gained marked successes at all key points on the Stalingrad and Caucasus fronts during the past 24 hours.

At Stalingrad Soviet units commanded by generals Rodimtsev and Gorokhov have smashed desperate attempts by superior Axis infantry and tank forces to gain ground in which they could establish quarters for the Winter.

In the central Caucasus, the Russians have dealt very successful flank blows against wedges which the Germans had driven into their positions in the Mozdok area barring the way to the Grozny oil wells.

In one section at Stalingrad, against great odds, one Soviet company disposed of eight German tanks of a large formation attacking from several directions at once; in another action a group of Soviet machine-gunners beat back non-stop German attacks for two days wiping out 300 Germans.—Reuter.

STOP PRESS

DARLAN'S BROADCAST

ALGIERS, Nov. 19.

Admiral Darlan in a broadcast from Algiers to-night (Thursday) said: "We shall continue to administer our territories. My role will consist in defining our goal for the common good. The post of High Commissioner which I have assumed in agreement with the American Authorities is in execution of orders which were given to me by Marshal Petain. I am assisted in my heavy task by those the Marshal has placed in administrative posts and who have patriotically decided to lend me their support.

We hope France and her Empire which have been sorely tried may play their part in the present conflict and contribute to the defence and liberation of French territory.

We both, Frenchmen and Moslems in Africa, will direct our efforts towards the attainment of the goal which we have set ourselves—the liberation of France through her Empire".—Reuter.

NEW YORK COTTON

To-day's Closing 16.57
Difference .... —.09

Japs To Attack Kumming

Threat To China's Communications With India

CHUNGKING, Nov. 19.

An imminent Japanese attack on Kumming to threaten China's communications with India was forecast by the Chinese Military spokesman who declared that 30,000 Japanese were moving into Western Yunnan from Burma and massing air force and barges preparatory to crossing the Salween river, while passenger and freight traffic on the Indo-China Railway has been suspended.—Reuter.

Japan Must Reckon With Further Heavy Fighting, Warns Former C.-in-C.

LONDON, Nov. 19.

The German radio quotes comment to-day on the United States' Solomons naval victory by Admiral Takahashi, former Commander-in-Chief of the Japanese Fleet that Japan must reckon with further heavy fighting.

The Americans were obviously planning to use the Solomons as a spring-board for an offensive with a view to regaining islands in the Dutch East Indies which have been lost. All his movements must be watched carefully.

The Tokio radio itself in its broadcast in Italian said "The Americans are holding dominion over the air and sea round the Solomon islands". The importance the Japanese attach to the Solomons enterprise was indicated by Rear Admiral Teijo Minami, Chief of the Marine Department of Japanese Airways, who said "The Japanese navy forces dared to launch a large scale battle in defiance of unfavourable weather conditions. The Navy has been given the heavy task of landing reinforcements The attempt was so important that capital ships were attached to the convoy.

The battle resulted in damage to the enemy at the same time we suffered losses". The imperial navy described the battle as a decisive engagement to gain command of the air over the Solomons Sea but not quoted as claiming that Japan won it.—Reuter.

Advance On Buna Continues

LONDON, Nov. 19.

Allied headquarters south-west Pacific:—To-day's "communique" states: "Buna: The advance of our ground forces on Buna continues with forward elements now closing in on their objective.

SOLOMONS: Medium bombers raided an aerodrome damaging the runway and nearby buildings.

GUADALCANAR ISLAND: Battleships will play a decisive role in this war. Admiral Halsey, victor in the latest Solomons battle declared after presenting medal to 13 American naval heroes.—Reuter.

8 Enemy Destroyers Near Buna

LONDON, Nov. 19.

Allied Headquarters in the South-West Pacific issued the following:

A Japanese destroyer force has appeared off Buna.

It is announced that 8 destroyers in two groups are reported to be "manoeuvring off the north coast of New Guinea apparently in support of enemy ground forces."

It is officially announced that Allied forces advancing on Buna are closing in on their objective.—Reuter.

R. A. F. ATTACK ON BURMA AERODROMES

NEW DELHI, November 19.

Last night Wellington bombers of the R.A.F. attacked the Japanese aerodrome at Meiktila, says an Indian Command joint war communique. Many bombs were seen to burst across the runway and a large fire was started. One of the Wellingtons was attacked by a Japanese night fighter which was driven off and is claimed as damaged.

On Tuesday night R.A.F. heavy bombers attacked the main Japanese aerodrome at Rangoon. Another force of Bienheims attacked Mingaladon aerodrome with good effect. At Mingaladon, the Rangoon aerodrome, a considerable number of bombs were dropped and two large fires were started.

From all the above operations none of our aircraft is missing.—A. P.

PROTEST AGAINST SILVER SALES

Govt. Urged To Keep Stocks In India

NEW DELHI, November 19

The Federation of Indian Chambers of Commerce and Industry in the course of a communication to the Finance Department, Government of India, criticises the sale of Indian silver in London to His Majesty's Government.

The communication states that Indian silver is being sold in London at rates much lower than the prevailing prices in New York or Bombay and asks the Government to keep Indian silver stocks in India and to reconsider any arrangement between the Governments of India and Britain regarding the sale of Indian silver.—United Press.

Amery Reiterates 'Close Door' Policy

"No Access To Congress Leaders In View Of Line They Have Taken And Continue To Take"; No Discussion Of Self-Govt. For Burma Now

LONDON, November 19.

Mr. Amery was again questioned in the House of Commons to-day regarding Mr. Rajagopalachari's suggested visit to Britain.

Mr. Amery replied he had nothing to add to the answer given on Tuesday, when he said that an agreement must come about in India between Indian parties and that the British Government saw no advantage in Mr. Rajagopalachari's visiting this country.

Answering the suggestion that non-Congress parties resented the refusal to allow them to contact Congress leaders, Mr. Amery said: "It is the considered policy of the Government of India not to allow access to Congress leaders, in view of the line they have taken and continue to take."

Mr. Granville (Independent) asked "is it Mr. Amery's intention to do absolutely nothing to assist this energetic and sincere Indian leader to try and break the deadlock?"

Mr. Amery: "We always welcome an agreement, but you cannot make people agree who are not prepared to agree." The answer was greeted with cries of 'hear hear'.

Sir Alfred Knox said 'Mr. Rajagopalachari had totally failed to convert Indians to his views and had been turned down by Moslems, Sikhs, Depressed Classes and Indian Christians.

The aim of the British Government continues to be self-Government for Burma as soon as circumstances permit, Mr. Amery told Mr. Sorensen in the Commons today. Mr. Amery added "Mr. Sorensen will recognise the impossibility of discussions with representative Burmese—a great majority of whom have remained in Burma—until the country has been freed from Japanese control and normal conditions are restored."

Mr. Sorensen: "Are we to take it that the majority of these Burmese Ministers prefer to remain under Japanese occupation than come elsewhere under their own control."

Mr. Amery: "The great majority of people in Burma could not help themselves from remaining under Japanese control. Certain Ministers were able to get away with the Governor and are working with him now."—Reuter

Ahmedabad Engineer's Conviction Quashed

Judge On "Fatal Defect" In Case Under Essential Services Ordinance

AHMEDABAD, November 19.

ACQUITTING MR. CHHOTUBHAI DESAI, ASSISTANT MUNICIPAL ENGINEER, THE SESSIONS JUDGE REMARKED IN THE COURSE OF HIS JUDGMENT:

"THE APPELLANT WHO IS A GOVERNMENT SERVANT (ASSISTANT ENGINEER) CANNOT BE PROSECUTED WITHOUT THE SANCTION OF THE GOVERNMENT UNDER SECTION 197 OF THE CODE OF CRIMINAL PROCEDURE. NO SUCH SANCTION IS FORTHCOMING AND THAT IS A FATAL DEFECT IN THIS CASE."

There is no doubt a telegram from "Bomworks" meaning thereby the Secretary, Public Works Department, but it cannot amount to a valid sanction.

Section 271 of the Government of India Act requires that in the case of a person employed in connection with the affairs of the Province sanction must be by the Governor of that Province exercising his individual judgment. On this ground alone the prosecution of this appellant must fail completely."

Other Sentences Reduced

Reducing the sentence of the remaining seven officers of the superseded Ahmedabad Municipality, the Sessions Judge observed that the conviction under Section 5 (B) of the Essential Services (Maintenance) Ordinance must be quashed for a grave defect in the charge, namely, the absence of words "without reasonable excuse." Abandonment of work or employment with reasonable excuse is no offence under Section 5 (B) of the Ordinance. It is the abandonment of employment or absenting from work without reasonable excuse which constitutes an offence. Remarkably enough the words "without reasonable excuse" are absent from the charge framed by the learned Magistrate. The sentence passed by the learned Magistrate is therefore reduced to four months' R.I. from six months. The fine of Rs. 250 or in default three months' further R.I. is however maintained.

Upholding the conviction under Section 5 (A) the Judge stated, "I am not satisfied in this case that there was an error of judgment on the part of Government in applying the Ordinance to the Ahmedabad Municipality. This Municipality passed a resolution purporting to support an activity prejudicial to the Defence of British India, the public safety, the maintenance of the public order and the efficient prosecution of the war."—A.P.

PICKETING AT JAIN SCHOOL

SURAT, Nov. 19.

Messrs. Priyaradan and Shantilal Seth were removed while picketing at the gates of the Jain High School.

The "chaura" of village Bedkuva, in Bardoli taluka, was set on fire.—United Press.

FINED FOR MAKING "OBJECTIONABLE SPEECH"

SURAT, Nov. 19.

Mr. Muljibhai Laxmidas Patel of Kamrol was convicted on a charge of delivering an objectionable speech and sentenced to pay a fine of Rs. 50, states a report from Baroda.

Two persons were arrested for taking out "prabhat pheries" in the city. They were, however, subsequently let off with a warning.—United Press.

COLLECTIVE FINES IN EAST KHANDESH

The Director of Information, Bombay, writes:

The Government of Bombay has imposed a collective fine of Rs. 1,200 on the village of Nandra, in the Jalgaon Taluka of the East Khandesh District, where two policemen were manhandled.

Muslims, Government servants, inhabitants who helped the police and other individuals approved by the District Magistrate have been exempted from the fine.

House Searches In Calcutta

CALCUTTA, Nov. 19

Five places in the city were searched by the Special Branch Police to-day who arrested two persons as a result of the searches.—A.P.

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(2423)

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L. TARLETON,
Medical Superintendent,
Umaid Hospital for Women & Children, Jodhpur.
(2397)

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(Sgd.) F. LEACH,
Commissioner of Commodity Purchase, Ceylon.

Colombo, 29th Oct. 1942.
(2411)

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Public Notices

PROCLAMATION.

BOMBAY TO WIT:—By virtue of a Precept to me directed, I hereby proclaim and give notice that the Fifth Sessions of 1942 of Oyer and Terminer and General Gaol Delivery will be holden before the High Court of Judicature at Bombay at the Court House on FRIDAY, the 20th day of November, 1942, at 10-45 o'clock in the forenoon for the trial of all crimes and offences committed within its jurisdiction.

(For further particulars see Bombay Government Gazette Part II dated the 12th November, 1942 at page 2125).

Dated this 17th day of November, 1942.

M. R. A. BAIG,
Sheriff of Bombay.
(2405)

NOTICE.

"THE REGISTERED GRADUATES' CONSTITUENCY" has been created for the Graduates of the S. N. D. Thackersey Indian Women's University. Those Graduates, who are desirous of enrolling themselves in the said constituency are requested to send their subscription of Rs. 10 (to be paid only once) on or before the 31st of December, 1942. Payment after the 31st of December will not make them eligible for the election to be held in 1943.

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DELHI MUNICIPALITY HEALTH DEPARTMENT

APPLICATIONS with copies of testimonials, stating age, experience, qualifications and nationality are invited up to 1st of December, 1942 from female Medical Graduates with D. P. H. qualifications for the post of Superintendent Maternity and Child Welfare Scheme in the grade of Rs. 300-15-450 with free furnished accommodation and Rs. 60|- p. m. as car allowance.

P. L. NIRULA,
Medical Officer of Health,
(SBM) 16-11-42,
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THE MODEL MILLS NAGPUR, LTD.

LOST, MISLAID OR DESTROYED.

One Share Certificate No. 26541 in respect of one share of the Model Mills Nagpur, Ltd., in the name of Lalji Jethiram Bhatt has been LOST, MISLAID or DESTROYED. All claims in respect of this one share should be notified within one month to the Registered Office of the Company, Ilaco House, Sir Phirozshah Mehta Road, Bombay; otherwise duplicate share certificate will be issued to the above-named owner.

D. J. REGISTRAR,
Secretary.
(2414)

THE OXY-CHLORIDE FLOORING PRODUCTS, LIMITED

NOTICE

THE TRANSFER BOOKS and Share Register of the Company will be CLOSED from SATURDAY, the 28th November to TUESDAY, the 8th December, 1942, both days inclusive.

The Eleventh Ordinary Interim Dividend at Rs. 4|- per share as declared by the Board of Directors in their Meeting held on Wednesday the 18th November, 1942, will be paid at the Registered Office of the Company to those Shareholders whose names stand in the Register of the Members of the Company on Tuesday the 8th December, 1942, and the Dividend Warrants will be posted to each Shareholder to his registered address except to holders of Share Warrants who should after that date apply to the Company for their Dividend along with their Share Warrants.

By Order of the Board of Directors,
A. FATAH & CO., LTD.,
A. FATAH,
Managing Director.
Managing Agents.
Bombay, 19th November, 1942.
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G. I. P. RAILWAY

SPECIAL NOTICE

OPENING OF INWARD GOODS SHEDS AT WADI BANDAR FOR SUNDAY DELIVERY.

IT IS NOTIFIED for the information of the public that the following revised arrangement for the clearance of goods will take effect from 1st December, 1942.

(1) Deliveries on Sundays will be available between 8 and 16 O'clock.
(2) Goods made available for delivery upto 14 O'clock on Sunday will be allowed to remain free of wharfage till closing time on the Monday following.
(3) Goods unloaded between 16 O'clock on Saturday and 14 O'clock on the following Sunday may be cleared free of wharfage only upto closing time on Monday.

TAKE ADVANTAGE OF THIS SPECIAL FACILITY
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Public Notices

NOTICE

LOST OR MISLAID

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Share Certificate in respect of 16 fully paid up shares of the WESTERN INDIA TANNERIES, LTD., bearing Nos. 10229 to 102244 (both inclusive) standing in the name of the late Mr. NANA RAJOO BABAJI has been LOST or MISLAID. Our client Mr. PRABHAKAR NANA as the only son and legal representative of the said Nana Rajoo Babaji has lodged his claim and applied to the Company to issue duplicate share certificate in respect thereof. Any person who has any claim to the said shares or any of them is hereby informed to lodge his claim with the said Company at its Registered Office at 2A, Dharavi Road, Dharavi, Bombay, within 14 days from the date hereof. Otherwise the Company will proceed to issue duplicate share certificate in respect of the aforesaid shares without reference to any such claim and the same, if any will be considered as waived.

Dated this 20th day of November, 1942.

SOLOMON & CO.,
Attorneys for Mr. Prabhakar Nana.
2420

Legal Notices

NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that AZIZ HUSSEINBHAI AHMEDBHAI, of Bombay Khoja Mahomedan inhabitant has contracted to sell to our client the property hereinafter described. All persons having any claims or demands by way of mortgage, gift, sale, use, Trust, possession, Inheritance, Lease or otherwise, howsoever are hereby required to make the same known in writing to the undersigned at their Office at Yusuf Building, Churchgate Street, Fort, Bombay, within 14 days from the date hereof, otherwise the purchase will be completed without reference to any such claim or demand and the same, if any, will be considered as waived.

ALL that piece or parcel of land or ground of quit and ground-rent tenure, containing by admeasurement 537 square yards or thereabouts, registered by the Collector of Land Revenue under New No. 7623, New Survey No. 4512, Cadastral Survey No. 4314 of Bhuleshwar Division together with the messuages, tenements or buildings standing thereon and assessed by the Municipality of Bombay under C Ward Nos. 7928 and 7944, and Street Nos. 19 to 29, 45 to 47 and 22 to 32 all which premises are situate at 2nd and 1st Cooper Streets and Pakmodia Street in the Registration District and Sub-District and City of Bombay and are bounded, on the East by the property of Abdul Husein Esufally Gurkha, on the West by the property of Abdulla Pakmodia Sreet, on the North by the 2nd Cooper Street and on the South by the 1st Cooper Street.

Dated this 18th day of November, 1942.

VACHHA & CO.,
Purchasers' Attorneys.
2418

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Dr. BALARAM HARISCHANDRA MADAN and PREMABAI, wife of Dr. Balaram Harischandra Madan have contracted with our client for absolute sale to him free from incumbrances of the undermentioned property.

All persons having any claim or interest to or in the said property or any part thereof by way of sale, inheritance, residue, trust, maintenance, possession, mortgage, lease, charge, casement, lien or otherwise howsoever are hereby required to make the same known in writing to the undersigned at their office at 70, Medows Street, Fort, Bombay within 14 days from the date hereof, otherwise the sale will be completed without regard to any claim and the same, if any, shall be considered as having been absolutely waived or abandoned.

All that piece or parcel of land or ground of the quit and ground rent tenure, messuage, tenement or dwelling house thereon situate, lying and being on the West side of Samuel Street, Cross Lane (also Kumbharwada Cross Lane) in the Registration District and Sub-District of Bombay, in the Island of Bombay, containing by admeasurement 182 square yards or thereabouts registered in the books of the Collector of Land Revenue under Old No. 955, New No. 6685, Old Survey No. 357, New Survey No. 2837, Cadastral Survey No 1001 of Mandvi Division and in the Books of the Collector of Municipal Rates and Taxes under B Ward No. 1682 and Street No. 4 and bounded as follows: That is to say, on or towards the East by Kumbharwada Cross Lane, now known as Samuel Street Cross Lane, on or towards the West by Sweeper's passage, on or towards the North by the property of Khaki Hemani and on or towards the South by the property of Abdulla Lalji.

Dated this 19th day of November, 1942.

RATILAL & CO.,
Purchaser's Attorneys.
(2422)

Legal Notices

HIGH COURT OF BOMBAY

INSOLVENCY NO. 167 OF 1942.

Re: VITHAL KRISHNAJI KHANDALKAR, formerly residing at Dongri and now at Hindu Colony, Dadar, A Superintendent, Labour Welfare Centre Worli: ..... A Debtor.
Ex parte: NARAYAN BHASKAR MHATRE: Petitioning Creditor.

On the 17th day of November, 1942, an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Bombay in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed Debtor an Insolvent.

Dated this 19th day of November, 1942.

S. S. RANGNEKAR,
Insolvency Registrar.
2425

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that MADHAV GAJANAN JOSHI and SURENDRA GAJANAN JOSHI, both of Bombay Hindu Inhabitants have contracted to sell the undermentioned property to our client.

ALL persons having any claim against or to the said property by way of inheritance, mortgage, sale, gift, lease, lien, charge trust, maintenance, easement or otherwise howsoever are hereby required to make the same known in writing to the undersigned at their Office at Alli Chambers, Medows Street, Fort, Bombay, within 14 days from the date hereof, otherwise the sale will be completed without reference to such claim and the same, if any, will be considered as waived.

THE SCHEDULE OF THE PROPERTY.

ALL THAT piece or parcel of Pension and Tax land or ground with the messuage, tenement or dwelling house standing thereon situate, lying and being at Lady Hardinge Road, Gopi Tank, Matunga in the Registration Sub-District of Bombay, in the Island of Bombay, containing by admeasurement 6489 square yards or thereabouts and registered in the Books of the Collector of Land Revenue under Old No. 475, New No. 4235, Old Survey No. 195, New Survey No. 1392, Cadastral Survey No. 528 of Mahim Division and in the books of the Collector of Municipal Rates and Taxes under G Ward Nos. 4054(1), (2), (3), 4055 and 4056 (1) (2) and Street Nos. 415, 139, 415B, 135, 19A and 19 and bounded as follows: That is to say, on or towards the East by the Public Road, on or towards West formerly by the Gopi Tank, on or towards the North by the Public Road and on or towards the South by the Oart of Kalyandas Bhagwandas.

Dated this 12th day of November, 1942.

THAKORDAS DARU HEMANY & CO.,
Purchaser's Attorneys.
(2415)

NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Mr. VIVIAN DAVEY and Mrs. ELIZABETH DAVEY, of Manmad, European Inhabitants have contracted to sell the undermentioned property to our client.

All persons having any claim or claims against or to the said property or any part thereof by way of inheritance, mortgage, sale, gift, lease, lien, charge, trust, maintenance, easement or otherwise, howsoever are hereby required to make the same known in writing to the undersigned at their Office, situate at Gresham Buildings, 45-47, Esplanade Road, Fort, Bombay within fourteen days from the date hereof, otherwise the sale will be completed without reference to such claim or claims and the same, if any, will be considered waived.

THE SCHEDULE OF THE PROPERTY

All and singular the Cinema Theatre known as "International Talkies", situate at Survey No. 305 of Deolali Village in the registration Sub-District of Nasik with the complete structure, electric installations, furniture, machinery, fittings, spare parts, apparatus, appliances accessories, etc.

Dated this 18th day of November, 1942.

PEREIRA FAZALBHOY & CO.,
Attorneys for the Purchaser.
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Auction Sales

THE SALE OF FURNITURE AT 3 P.M. (New S. T.), will take place to-day at the room of the Auctioneers, 123 Medows Street, as previously advertised.

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In accordance with Section 167 and 88 of the Sea Customs Act of 1878 and under instructions from the Collector of Customs, Bombay, Messrs. MENESSE & CO., will sell by Public Auction on FRIDAY, the 27th November, 1942, at 3 p.m., (S. T.), at the New Custom House, Ballard Road, the abovementioned Confiscated and Uncleared Goods belonging to the Government Customs Department.

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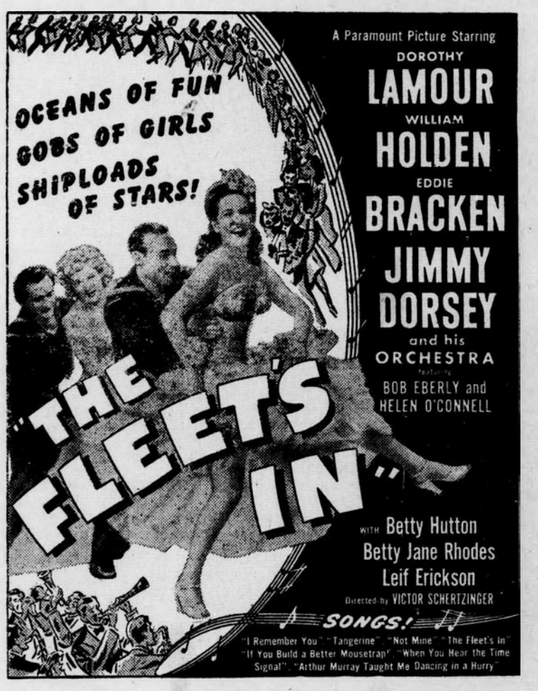
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LOCAL ENGAGEMENTS To-day

Hindu: Kartik Shud 13, 1999
Muslim: Jaikad 10, 1361
Parsi: Khordad 17, 1312
Sunrise: 7-51 a.m. Sunset: 5-17 p.m.
Hightide: 10-12, 23-05. Lowtide: 4-16, 16-27

AMUSEMENTS OF THE DAY

MINERVA—"Bhakta Kabir" 3-30, 6-30 and 9-30 p.m.
KRISHNA—"Meenakshi" 4-30, 7-15 and 10
KOHINOOR—"Station Master" 4, 7 and 10
CITY LIGHT—"Dnyaneshwar" 4-30, 7-15 and 10 p.m.
BROADWAY—"Ankh Michaoli" 4-30, 7-15 and 10 p.m.
OPERA HOUSE—"Chandni" 4, 7 and 10
PALACE—"Ride 'em Cowboy" 4, 6-30 and 10
APOLLO—"Musafir" 4-30, 7 and 10 p.m.
EDWARD—"Pardesi" 4, 6-30 and 10 p.m.
CHITRA—"Rai Saheb" 4 7 and 9-45 p. m.
AURORA—"Man About Town" 4 and 6-30
LAMINGTON—"Ek-Raat" 4, 7 and 10 p.m.
SUPER—"Mamaji" 4-15, 7 and 9-45 p.m.
CENTRAL—"Zevar" 4-30, 7-15 and 10 p.m.
ROXY—"Mera Gaon" 3-30, 6-30 and 9-30 p.m.
IMPERIAL—"Jawab" 4, 7 and 10 p.m.
SWASTIK—"Damaji" 3-30, 6-30 and 9-30 p.m.
NOVELTY—"Vasant Sena" 4, 7 and 10 p.m.
NEW WEST-END—"Churiyan" 5, 7-30 and 10 p.m.
METRO—"Juke Girl" 3-30, 6-30 and 9-30
NEW EMPIRE—"Hi Gang" 3-30, 6-30 and 9-30 p.m.
EXCELSIOR—"The Fleet's In" 3-30, 6-30 and 9-30 p.m.
PARADISE—"Western Union" 4-30, 6-45 and 10 p.m.
STRAND—"Babes on Broadway" 3-30, 6-30 and 9-30 p.m.
HINDMATA—"Anjan" 4-15, 7 and 9-45 p.m.
REGAL—"My Gal Sal" 4, 6-30 and 9-30
CAPITOL—"Too Many Husbands" 4, 6-30 and 10 p.m.

MUNICIPAL STANDING COMMITTEE: A special meeting of the Standing Committee will be held to-day (Friday) at 2 p.m. (S.T.).

M. COMMISSIONER'S ROUND: The Municipal Commissioner and Councillors of Ward No. 1 will meet near the Museum (Prince of Wales) to-morrow (Saturday) at 8-30 a.m. (S.T.) to go round the Ward. Residents who have grievances to represent should be present at the appointed place and time.

TELEGRAPH NOTIFICATION: The Chief Superintendent, Central Telegraph Office, Calcutta, informs that telegraph communication with Bombay, New Delhi, Agra and their adjacent areas continues to be interrupted or heavily disturbed. Telegrams are therefore subject to serious delay

UNITED LODGE OF THEOSOPHISTS: A public study class on "Theosophy and the Masters" from 'The Ocean of Theosophy' by W. Q. Judge, will be held to-day (Friday) at 6-15 p.m. at Jehangir Wadia Building, opposite Flora Fountain.

BOMBAY SHAREHOLDERS' ASSOCIATION: The thirteenth annual general meeting of the members of the Bombay Shareholders' Association will be held in the Association's Office (Aga Khan Building, Dalal Street, Fort, Bombay), to-day (Friday) at 5 p.m. (S.T.).

MOONLIGHT DANCE AT Y.M.C.A.: A moonlight dance, with Rhumba Boys' Band in attendance, in aid of Byculla Y. M. C. A. Ladies' Hockey Club, will be held at Byculla Y. M. C. A., to-day (Friday) from 9 p.m. to 2 a.m. The programme includes cabaret shows, balloon spot dance and several games. Attractive prizes are offered for winners of these. Dress is optional and refreshments are available at reasonable rates. Mr. Alec Sequeira will act as the Master of Ceremonies.

B. P. T. U. CONGRESS: A meeting of the B.P.T.U.C. will be held to-day (Friday) at 7 p.m. at the Servants of India Society's Hall to consider (1) Subjects included in the agenda for the meeting of the Standing Labour Committee of the Tripartite Conference to be held at New Delhi on 30th November and 1st December; (2) Food Problem in the province with special reference to Bombay City; (3) Broach mill workers' strike.

AFRICA SHIPPERS' ASSOCIATION: A general meeting of members of the Africa Shippers' Association will be held to-day (Friday) at 5-30 p.m. at premises of Messrs. Dawood Haji Nasser and Co., (opp. Metro Cinema), to take necessary steps against the proposed formation of the import business company supported by East African Government in Kenya, Uganda and Tanganyika and thereby jeopardizing the rights of the Indian community there, and particularly the commercial community in India and East Africa.

3 ARTS GRAND RECEPTION ENTERTAINMENT: The above entertainment in honour of Sir Patrick and Lady Blackwell, will be held on Sunday, the 22nd instant at 4-30 p.m. at Greens'. The programme includes Divecha's Orchestra, Mr. Mani Mehta, Atiya Begum and Mrs. Mithan Lam will speak, Mr. Habibulla Manji will present his drama "The world is a stage", Lovely Yashodhara, and beautiful Manorama Kathju will render Katthak Natch-Song. The renowned Achchan Maharaj will accompany on the Tabla, Miss Cubban will sing. All cordially invited by intimation to Atiya Begum 41350. Apply for Entry Vouchers.

ALL-INDIA EDUCATIONAL CONFERENCE INDORE: His Highness the Maharaja of Dewas Senior will inaugurate 18th All-India Educational Conference to be held at Indore (C.I.) on December 27-30, and to deliver the inaugural address.

ON THE AIR

FRIDAY, November 20.

DELHI I—Programme.

338.6 metres (885 kc/s)
5 p.m. Kallan Qawwal and party. 5-15 Aparna Roy. 5-25 Dilip Chander Vedi. 5-45 Delhi Radio Orchestra. 6-50 Mohsin. 6 Gulabbai. 6-45 Kallan Qawwal and party. 7 Sarila Rahe. 7-15 Dilip Chander Vedi. 7-30 Mohsin. 7-45 For villagers only. 8-30 Gulabbai. 8-45 Delhi Radio Orchestra. 8-55 Jawabi Hamla. 9-30 B B C News relay. 9-45 Caravanserai. 10 The beauty of the Concerto. 10-45 Dilip Chander Vedi.

Bombay I—Programme

244 metres (1,231 kc/s)
8 a.m. Instrumental music. 8-5 News in Hindustani. 8-15 News in English. 8-25 Jahanara Kajjan. 8-45 String music. 8-50 News in Marathi. 9 News in Gujarati. 9-10 Thumri Bhairavin. 9-20 Vilayat Husain. 9-40 Geets. 9-50 G. S. Patankar. 12-30 p. m. Qawwalis. 12-45 News in Hindustani. 12-50 News in Marathi. 12-55 News in Gujarati. 1 Marathi duets. 1-30 News in English 1-40 Lunch-hour music. 5 To-morrow. 5-5 A. Kannan. 5-25 G. S. Patankar. 5-40 Amritlal. 5-55 Local news and announcements. 6 Children's half-hour 6-30 News in English. 6-40 News in Hindustani. 6-45 News commentary. 6-50 Instrumental duet. 7 Shatruchya Batmya. 7-15 Duets of devotion. 7-30 G. S. Patankar. 7-45 News in Marathi. 7-55 News in Gujarati. 8-5 Jahanara Kajjan. 8-30 News and views behind the news 8-45 "Joint Civil Defence", a talk in English by M.R.A. Baig. 9 News in Hindustani. 9-20 News in English. 9-30 B B C News relay. 9-45 "Caravanserai", a feature in English relayed from Delhi. 10 Jahanara Kajjan. 10-15 Vilayat Husain

Bombay II—Programme

49.3 metres (6,085 kc/s)
8 to 8-5 a.m. As in Bombay 1. 8-5 Variety. 8-15 to 8-50 As in Bombay 1. 8-50 A. Kannan. 9 Interval. 9-15 to 10 As in Bombay 1.
41.44 metres (7,240 kc/s)
12-30 to 2-30 p.m. As in Bombay 1.
49.3 metres (6,085 kc/s)
5 to 7-15 As in Bombay 1. 7-15 Interval.
89.15 metres (3,365 kc/s)
7-30 Commercial news. 7-45 Vilayat Husain. 8-5 to 9 As in Bombay 1. 9 Air Orchestra. 9-10 A. Kannan. 9-20 G. S. Patankar. 9-30 Mantzari Mavricakis. 9-40 Reg Dean. 9-50 Recorded interlude. 10 Mehli Mehta and his Sextette.

Government House News

Lady Lumley attended a Girl Guide Rangers Variety Entertainment in aid of the War Gifts Fund on Thursday.
The Governor of Bombay and Lady Lumley attended the To-nite at Eight Dance at Government House in aid of Rehabilitation Centres for Military Hospitals on Thursday.

"BUDLI" WORKERS AND AHMEDABAD MILLS

The General Secretary of the Girni Kamgar Union (Red Flag) writes:
We have received information from the Mill Kamdar Union, Ahmedabad, that the Ahmedabad Mills will re open on the 23rd Nov. 1942. In the last 3 months, thousands of Textile workers from Ahmedabad have poured into Bombay and hundreds of them have found temporary (Budli) employment in Bombay Mills. Naturally all of them are anxious to go to Ahmedabad and get their old jobs. So they are requested to return to Ahmedabad as soon as possible. There is likely to be some trouble reg. wages, accounts, etc., for the work they have put up in Bombay Mills. To settle these disputes they are requested to get in touch with the Bombay Girni Kamgar Union (Red Flag), Dalvi Building, Poibawdi, Parel, Bombay, 12. Our Union is taking this matter to the Bombay Labour Office.

BAIG ON "IMPORTANCE OF FIRE WATCHING"

Mr. M. R. A. Baig, Acting Chairman of the Joint Civil Defence Committee will explain the importance of fire watching as an integral part of the Civil Defence of the City in a broadcast talk to be given from the Bombay Station of the A.I.R. to-day (Friday) at 8-45 p.m.

ART STUDENT SUSPENDED: Mr. N. P. Dubash, a student of the J. J. School of Art, has been served with an order by the Principal of the School not to attend the current session of the school. It is learnt that this disciplinary action was taken against him for the alleged offence of instigating other students to protest against the appointment of a teacher.

GOVT. "COMMUNIQUE" ON HAJ PILGRIMAGE

NEW DELHI, November 19.
A communique says:—
"The Government of India regret that it is impossible for them to arrange even a small pilgrimage on the lines suggested by a Muslim League deputation or to encourage individual pilgrims to attempt a journey to the Hedjaz. Latest information from the Saudi Arabian Government indicate insuperable difficulties in overland transportation of any travellers from Kuwait. Owing to shortage of cars and the impossibility of providing tyres and spare parts no guarantee of arrival in Mecca in time or indeed at all could be given by the Saudi Arabian Government."—United Press.


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CONGRESS WILL NOT COMPROMISE

Asked in the Commons if he would accept Mr. Rajagopalachari's offer to visit England, Mr. Amery replied that he "saw no advantage" in the proposed visit as a settlement should first come about in India between the Indian parties. The reply is as elusive as ever. It does not categorically refuse facilities to Rajaji to proceed to England but we doubt if he sees much hope in it. As usual Mr. Amery carefully refrains from committing Britain to the acceptance of any settlement arrived at in India. What is worse, he blocks the way to that very settlement by forbidding interviews with Gandhiji, an indispensable condition for any settlement of the Indian problem. The idea seems to be that there shall be no negotiations of any kind with the Congress leaders till they stop the present disturbances. But in the first place Congress will not by implication assume responsibility for the disturbances, nor can the Congress leaders effectively tackle the people while they are themselves prisoners. Secondly, they will rightly insist that, if there are to be any negotiations at all, they must not be subject to any conditions precedent. They may even refuse to join any negotiations unless and until they are themselves free.

Mere Indianisation

Not Enough

Government know all this full well and forbid interviews with Gandhiji for the reason, now suspected by many, that they do not want at present a settlement such as Congress may approve of. It appears that Government are not prepared to accept any scheme which involves any radical change in the present constitution even by convention. As pointed out by Mr. G. L. Mehta, President of the Federation of Indian Chambers of Commerce and Industry, "the British Government have not only no intention to transfer power even when such transfer is in the vital interests of the Commonwealth and the United Nations, but they do not even hesitate to hamper and obstruct efforts for ending the present deplorable situation through negotiations and persuasion". But Government know well that Congress will never accept any scheme which does not transfer real power to the people. When, therefore, Government talk of a settlement in India they seek one on the basis of the present constitution among such parties as may be willing to accept that basis. The utmost they may do is to Indianise the entire Council of the Viceroy and even call it Cabinet. But for all practical purposes it will be a body of "Advisers" as Lord Simon called them or glorified secretaries of the Viceroy. We do not think any responsible party even outside the Congress will accept such a position.

Wanted National

Government

Thus it appears that the present position will be continued with but slightly alterations if any. The British Government may continue it if only as a lesser evil than a voluntary parting with power and all the complications to which it may lead. America, China and Russia are too preoccupied with their own interests to give any serious thought to India. But the people of India cannot afford to be indifferent or complacent. In a recent speech at Allahabad Rajaji said: If the war ended without our having a Government of some kind, even if it be a symbol, a skeleton without any flesh in it, it will be hard for us to find our place in the counsels of the world." The danger is but too real. We have no doubt by the words "a symbol, a skeleton, without any flesh in it" Rajaji does not suggest a mere Indianised Council without real power. The Congress will insist on a genuine live national Government, even though it is formed by other parties. It demands such a Government for the country and not for itself. But it will never compromise that demand.

The French Situation

Two developments have taken place lately which have an important bearing on the present situation as regards France. They are both welcome. Marshal Petain has announced the delegation of practically all his powers to M. Laval who has now become the supreme chief of Vichy-France in place of the Marshal. The Marshal has ceased to exist politically save in name. No Frenchman can fail to understand the meaning of this development. It is a betrayal of France, complete and entire. And whether Marshal Petain's name has been lent to it by himself or by others, it is reasonable to expect that many Vichy-Frenchmen will now withdraw their allegiance from a Vichy regime which is "legally" dominated by a man who is known to be less a Frenchman than a creature of the Nazis. Marshal Petain's abdication should help the Allies.

The other welcome development is President Roosevelt's explanation of the Darlan affair. He has given the assurance that the arrangement arrived at by General Eisenhower is temporary, having been necessitated by military exigencies and that it does not commit the Allies to any support to a Vichy or pseudo-Vichy regime for France. This assurance does not answer the principal objection which is that by treating with Admiral Darlan and conferring recognition upon him the Allies have ignored and let down the Fighting French who gallantly stood by them in their dark days. A number of compensating factors, however, do exist, in addition to the important undertaking given by President Roosevelt. The first, of course, is that the Allies have saved much valuable time. The second is that Marshal Petain's repudiation of Admiral Darlan and, later, the old man's own abdications have increased the isolation of the Admiral from Vichy and are calculated to place him more and more under Allied domination. And, therefore, thirdly, General Giraud may be able to pursue unhampered by Admiral Darlan his campaign to bring the French Army in North Africa actively on the side of the Allies. If Giraud succeeds, the price paid by General Eisenhower will have been worthwhile—provided the arrangement remains strictly temporary and essentially military. Incidentally, it will be interesting to see how these new developments affect the situation in Toulon.

Roosevelt's Confidence

The American naval victory over the Japanese Fleet was evidently more striking than at first supposed. Two things prove this. In the first place Tokio which had announced it, a la Goebbels, as another smashing victory for itself and "sunk" six American cruisers and about as many destroyers for the loss of only two of its destroyers, has now been forced to admit the destruction of a Jap battleship and damage to another. This is a significant admission. In the second place, President Roosevelt has broadcast about it going so far as to suggest that it heralded the turning of the tide in Pacific. It may, therefore, be accepted finally that an almost decisive blow has been struck at the Japanese in so far at any rate as the South-West Pacific area is concerned.

Colonel Knox has warned that the Japs would again try to come back. Perhaps they might, but now they would be more certain to be beaten. The present position is that the American victory has made possible its exploitation on a considerable scale. It has opened an offensive phase in the South-West Pacific. In the Guadalcanar area the Americans are not only in a position to hold on but also to begin ejecting the Japs from it and, indeed, from the rest of the Solomons. On the other side, General MacArthur has now virtually closed in on Buna and its capture need not take many days. Once the Allies establish naval and air control in the sea between the Southern New Guinea and the Solomons, they will have won almost half the battle of the South-West Pacific.

Frankly Speaking

What Asia Stands For

In an article published in an American paper, Generalissimo Chiang Kai-Shek writes:

"China has no desire to replace the western imperialism in Asia by an Oriental Imperialism or to introduce isolationism of its own or of anyone else.....

"Unless real world co-operation replaces both isolationism and imperialism in a new interdependent world of free nations there will be no lasting security for you or for us."

In the above words are embodied also the sentiments and ideals of all Asiatic peoples. There is, of course, this difference between Free China and, for instance, India. The latter has to get rid of western imperialism first. And she will.

Shortage Of Quinine

Indian medical men have been urging the Government of India from time to time to release its spare stocks of quinine for the benefit of millions who are suffering from malaria but who fail to get proper treatment for want of quinine in the market. Over a million people die annually of malaria and many more suffer from it. The position is particularly bad in the months following the close of the monsoon. The Government should declare its stocks of the drug, and if there is any quantity to spare, it should be released without any further delay. Government should also state what steps it is taking to combat malaria in the absence of adequate quantities of quinine. Merely pleading "war conditions" will not excuse any laxity in this matter.

Judge Thyself

In a message issued on the anniversary of Lala Lajpat Rai's death Mr. M. S. Aney says: "I pray that the soul of late Lalaji that struggled for the emancipation of his Motherland for more than forty years will inspire Indians to do their duty fearlessly in accordance with the light vouchsafed to them and play their part manfully at this critical stage of the world's history." Numerous people are doing their duty all right. Mr. Aney may search within himself and see if he is doing his as a member of a Government that would neither itself attempt a settlement with the Congress leaders nor allow others to do so.

A Question Of Public Health

To The Editor of "The Chronicle".

Sir,—Through the columns of your esteemed paper, I wish to draw the attention of the public to an important question of public health.

It is generally noticed, particularly in the Hindu localities of the Bombay city, that people come on the side of streets to clean their teeth with 'datan' early in the morning. When doing so, they go on spitting from high up, while people may be passing down, and then throw the "datan" either on the road or on the 'chajja' i.e., roof of the balcony below, where much refuse gets collected. This habit, to say the least, is very dirty, and where congestion is great, it is downright criminal, spitting causes the dread disease T.B., which is so much prevelent in Bombay. Apart from that, it is a nuisance to the people using the road, who are frequently being sprayed upon by the spittle.

It is urgently necessary that people should become conscious of this habit and not to use the road either as their refuse bin or spitoon. It seems, that while doing so, they are not at all conscious of the injury they are doing to others or to themselves. It is very necessary that people thus accustomed should become conscious and the Bombay Municipal Corporation and other Social Service bodies should conduct propaganda to eradicate this dirty and dangerous habit.—Yours, etc.,

RAM SWAROOP VYAS.

Supply Of Rice

To The Editor of "The Chronicle"

Sir,—It is an acknowledged fact, since telegrams are showered on the Collector of Ratnagiri, that Shiroda is short of rice supply. I sent a wire to the Collector on November 5th, but so far no acknowledgment has been received nor does there appear any official move in the matter. After a great struggle I secured half a bag of rice and if it is not supplemented starvation seems to be an imminent danger staring at not me alone but the whole of ryot of Shiroda. Nobody knows what other developments will spring up unless immediate action is taken. Will Government be pleased to enquire into the matter?—Yours, etc.,

G. A. N.

Shiroda, Nov. 12.

Training Class In Button-Making

Arrangements have been made by Miss Amtus Salaam, in collaboration with the All-India Village Industries Association to start a training class in button-making. The class is located at Ittehad Office, 246, Ripon Road, Madanpura (Bombay No. 8). Admission is open to persons of all communities; but it will be restricted, at the start, only to 10 persons. Applications for admission to the class may be addressed to Miss Amtus Salaam (at the foregoing address) or to the office of the All-India Village Industries Association (9, Bakehouse Lane, Fort) before 23rd November, from whom also details regarding the working of the class may be obtained.

Postponed Due To Jayakar's Illness

NEW DELHI, Nov. 19.

Owing to the sudden illness of the Rt. Hon. M. R. Jayakar, the full meeting of the Standing Committee of the non-Party Conference will not be held on November 21, but on a subsequent date.

Sir Tej Bahadur Sapru who will be arriving in Delhi on Saturday morning will hold preliminary discussion with some of the members of the Standing Committee.—A. P.

Rajaji Returns To Madras

MADRAS, Nov. 19.

Mr. C. Rajagopalachariar returned to Madras to-night from Delhi.—A. P.

"CHURCHILL'S STATEMENT DISILLUSIONS ALL"

Govt. Out To Foster Fissiparous Tendencies And Viceroy's "No" To Rajaji Is Only The Latest And Typical Example, Says G. L. Mehta

"The refusal of the Viceroy to permit Mr. Rajagopalachari to interview Mahatma Gandhi in prison is significant as an index to the present outlook and policy of the Government of India" observes Mr. G. L. Mehta, President of the Federation of Indian Chambers of Commerce and Industry, in a statement. "It shows that the authorities both in Delhi and Whitehall are not dissatisfied with the existing situation to such an extent as to assist and encourage all forces sincerely endeavouring for an amicable settlement of the constitutional question: it would seem, indeed, as though they prefer a solution through suppression rather than through negotiations.

IMPORTANCE OF CIVILIAN MORALE

Indian Commercial organisations have, during the last four months, repeatedly urged the imperative need of a speedy and satisfactory political settlement in order to mobilise adequately the moral and material resources of the country for its defence. They have felt the vital need of internal stability and harmony at this critical period and have emphasised that the situation would seriously deteriorate if it is allowed to drift. It is singularly unfortunate that people in power to-day are unable to realise the importance of civilian morale in a modern total war and are content to have a sullen and embittered population rather than generate their enthusiasm and elicit their best energies in a common cause.

NO ROOM FOR DISILLUSIONMENT

Mr. Churchill's statement the other day that he had not become Britain's first Minister in order to liquidate the British Empire is an eloquent revelation of the war and peace aims of the British Government. It is evident that the British Premier does not desire any fundamental change in the position of the Empire and wants it to continue on the basis of domination and exploitation. There is, therefore, no room for disillusionment after the war because we know exactly where we stand. Without in the least minimising the complexity of the situation, I cannot help feeling that the Government in this country have, particularly during the last few years, not only not helped the forces towards national unity, but have done everything within their power, to foster and encourage intransigent elements and fissiparous and disintegrating tendencies.

LATEST EXAMPLE

The refusal to permit Mr. Rajagopalachari to see Gandhiji is only the latest and typical example of this. For it means, in effect, that the British Government have not only no intention to transfer power even when such transfer is in the vital interests of the Commonwealth and the United Nations, but that they do not even hesitate to hamper and obstruct efforts for ending the present deplorable situation through negotiations and persuasion. The one safeguard against revolution is prompt and consistent reform. I wish it were possible to impress on those in power that the manifestations of popular discontent which we have witnessed during the last few months, however regrettable and ugly as some of them have been, are only a spontaneous outburst of a deep and wide-spread sense of frustration and despair with the existing system. Such discontent has deep-rooted causes which it is the task of wise statesmanship to discover and remove.

Negotiations, however difficult and prolonged, are better than civil commotion followed by a rule by ordinances and the sulky mood of a repressed people".

City Fathers' Anxiety Over:

Conversion In Sophia College

It Is An Isolated Case For Which The Institution Is Not Responsible, Pleads Ex-Mayor

The Special Meeting of the Municipal Corporation which was called on Thursday to consider the question of the conversion of a Parsi girl in St. Sophia College adjourned after some debate till Monday without coming to any decision.

The meeting was called at the instance of four members of the Standing Committee, viz., Mr. Y. G. Pandit, Mr. K. H. Goregaokar, Mr. M. U. Rajab and Dr. G. R. A. Shaikh.

Mr. Y. G. Pandit moved the resolution which was modified as under:—

That the attention of the representative of the Corporation on the Bombay University Senate be invited to the incidents of embracing Christianity by lady students of the St. Sophia College for Women, as a result of alleged proselytizing carried on in that Institution (as revealed by the reports in the newspapers) and he be requested to move the University Authorities to consider the desirability of taking effective measures to check in future such activity for the future if any, carried on by the authorities of the said College or any other Educational Institution affiliated to university on pain of withdrawal of such affiliation on repetition of such conversion activities in any Institution hereafter for the safety of the religion of children of tender age attending such Institution.

Mr. N. C. Bharucha seconded the resolution.

TWO POINTS OF ORDER

At the outset Mr. Mirza Akhtar Hassan raised a point of order that as every Indian had the freedom to embrace any faith he liked and that when one attained his majority, he was entitled to embrace any faith he liked, the resolution was out of order, since the girl in question who embraced Christianity was a major according to the law of the land.

Dr. J. A. Collaco also raised another point of order that under Municipal Act, the Municipal Corporation had to look to the sanitation water supply and other amenities of the public and they were not to concern themselves with religious matters.

Prof. S. R. Davar said since Municipal Act empowered them to control education of the city also, the resolution was in order.

Mr. Jamnadas M. Mehta also opined that from the point of legality and expediency the resolution was in order. They were asking their representative on the Senate to take note of their criticism only. They were not interfering with the University in any way.

RULED "IN ORDER".

Mr. B. N. Karanjia who presided ruled the proposition in order.

Mr. Pandit did not make any speech in support of his resolution and Mr. Jamnadas Mehta wanted to know whether the resolution was actually moved by Mr. Pandit, to which Mr. Pandit amidst laughter replied in the affirmative.

Mr. R. K. Tatnis suggested adding a rider that the Government of Bombay be requested to allow facilities to the representative of the Municipal Corporation who was in jail to give effect to the resolution.

Mr. N. C. Bharucha in seconding the resolution said that it was the duty of the college authorities to inform the parents of the girl when she made up her mind to become Christian. If a protest was not made in time he apprehended other institutions would follow suit.

Prof. S. R. Davar in supporting the resolution said he was not against any missionary institution but in this case, the institution had adopted a line of policy against which they should record their protest. He should not be surprised if a National Government comes and puts a ban on missionary activities. He hoped the Bombay University would make proper investigation into this matter.

AN AMENDMENT.

Mr. M. N. Talpade opposed the resolution and said the incident of the conversion of a Parsi girl was treated as if all religions in India were in danger. The requisition to call the meeting of the Corporation was signed by two Muslim councillors, for which he was exceedingly surprised for year in and year out, poor, defenceless and destitute Hindus were converted by thousands by Muslim divines and for proselytising one Parsi girl to Christianity, these two Muslim councillors' anger was aroused. The St. Sophia College was a missionary college and if the parents did not want their children to go to that college, they should withdraw them. He moved an amendment to draw the attention of the Vice-Chancellor to the fact of the conversion, as Mr. S. L. Sliam their representative on the Senate was in jail.

AN ISOLATED CASE.

Dr. J. A. Collaco also opposed the resolution and said the letters of the Principal of St. Sophia College as published in newspapers as well as the letter of Mr. A. Soares as published in "Bombay Chronicle" would show that St. Sophia College had nothing to do with the conversion of the Parsi girl. She had made up her mind to become Christian two years ago at Simla and she was baptised not in St. Sophia College Chapel but in the Archbishop's chapel at Colaba. It was very undesirable to bring religious matters in the Municipal Corporation. Some time ago, a few Christian families 'en masse' became Hindus at Matunga and no Christian protested against that. A Parsi girl became a Muslim and there was no protest then. Thousands of students of all communities were studying in St. Xavier's College and other missionary colleges. He asked how many of them became Christians? This was an isolated case for which the institution was not responsible. He urged the House not to countenance the resolution as it was better to have a religion than to be godless.

At this stage further discussion was adjourned.

At an earlier stage, Dr. J. A. Collaco who presided referred to the death of Sir Francis Griffiths in England who was once a member of the Municipal Corporation.

The House adjourned till Monday.

MAHASABHA MISSION FOR BRITAIN?

MADRAS, Nov. 19.

The "United Press" learns that Mr. V. D. Savarkar, President of the All-India Hindu Mahasabha, has asked Dr. P. Varadarajulu Naidu, the Vice-President, to go to England with the object of giving the British Government and Mr. Churchill, the correct position in India of the political and communal situation.

Dr. Naidu has applied for passport, and has written to H. E. the Viceroy accordingly.—United Press.

GOVERNOR-GENERAL OF MADAGASCAR TO BE INTERNED

LONDON, Nov. 19.

It is learned that the former Governor-General of Madagascar M. Armand Annet and his wife have arrived at Durban from Tamatave for internment.—Reuter.

AHMEDABAD MILLS MAY REOPEN ON MONDAY NEXT

AHMEDABAD, Nov. 19.

The possibility of the Ahmedabad Mills reopening on Monday Nov. 23 is hinted at in textile and labour circles.

The Textile Labour Associations with a membership of over 50,000 workers out of about 1,20,000 workers in Ahmedabad has decided in favour of reopening of the mills. The mills at Kalol, a small town about 15 miles from Ahmedabad, had already restarted working with full complements both for day and night shifts.—A. P.

RICE FOR CEYLON

Mr. H. M. Desai—former President of the Indian Mercantile Chamber of Ceylon and one of the organisers of the Ceylon Indian Congress who has come to Bombay on a short holiday questioned by our correspondent regarding Ceylon's Food-Supply said:—

Ceylon had, no doubt, serious difficulties in getting her rice and food-stuffs after the fall of Burma and Air-raid (5th April), but compared with the difficulties which the people in India have to face, Ceylon is fortunate. Despite the fact that Ceylon is entirely dependent on other countries for her food-supply, the organization set up in Ceylon for importing food-stuffs and distributing same is working so satisfactorily that hardships of people in getting food-stuffs are minimised.

Ceylon produces hardly 10 to 15 per cent of rice needed by her. She does not produce any wheat, jowari and bajree, though she does produce a small quantity of Kurrakan (Nagli). She does not manufacture any sugar, still, rice is the only article that is strictly rationed and each adult gets one measure (2 lbs.) rice per week. Regarding wheat Australia supplies large quantities of wheat and wheat flour and people have not experienced any serious difficulty in getting wheat; on the contrary, the Food Supply Department of Ceylon has to make serious efforts in making people wheat-minded and persuade the coupon-holders to buy wheat against their coupons. Sugar from Mauritius has always been available though in small quantities. The people have had absolutely no difficulty in getting kerosene oil. The work of importing foodstuffs, practically is under the control of Civil Defence Commissioner who has shown admirable ability in organising the Department.

Ceylonese being rice-eaters have, no doubt, to face the difficulties of a changed diet but compared with the great hardships which the public in Bombay had to face in getting their food-supply, Ceylon had little and is very fortunate in that respect.

As Ceylon is both a base for the Defence of India, and for the future offensive, I have reasons to believe that the authorities in India will continue to show indulgence to Ceylon in her food-supply problems.

With regard to Anti-Indian feeling, Mr. Desai said that India in view of the great neighbourly duty done by her to Ceylon in supplying Ceylon with food-stuffs in times of her difficulty will be fully justified in expecting Ceylon to shed her past anti-Indian attitude and the Government of India will succeed in persuading Ceylon to establish good-will and anxiety between the adjacent countries.

NARELA GANDHI ASHRAM DECLARED UNLAWFUL

NEW DELHI, November 19.

A Congress worker, was arrested in Narela Village near Delhi where he was in charge of the Gandhi Ashram.

The Ashram has been declared unlawful.—A. P.

Bangalore Editor Arrested

BANGALORE, Nov. 19.

Mr. B. N. Gupta former editor of the "Janavani" was arrested today under the D. I. R. for alleged possession of prejudicial literature. It might be remembered that already a case is pending before the Bangalore City Magistrate against Mr. Gupta under the D. I. R. rules for alleged contravention of the Mysore Government's order banning publication of news relating to the present disturbances except under certain specified conditions.—A. P.

REDSHIRT PICKETS HELD UP AND REMOVED

PESHAWAR, Nov. 18.

To-day's batch of Red Shirts headed towards the District courts but the police held them up at the North Circular Road perimeter gate. They were put into waiting motor vans and driven to the police lines.

More convicted Red Shirts have been taken to the Dera Ismail Khan Jail from Peshawar, it is reported.

Dr. Khan Sahib, Mr. Abdul Aiyum, M.L.A. (Central), Mian Jaffar Shah and Arbab Abdur Rehmankhan, M.L.A.'s addressed a meeting at Tangi last night. Tangi is an important village near Utmanzai in the Charsadda subdivision.—A.P.

NALBARI ARRESTS

GAUHATI, Nov. 17.

Eighteen persons were brought here under arrest from the Nalbari area last week, by the Nalbari Police and two from Goreswar area. They have been remanded to jail custody.—A. P.

TETE-A-TETE

WITHOUT COMMENT

STOCKHOLM, Nov. 19.

Spanish partial mobilisation affects eight classes from 1915 to 1926 according to a Madrid telegram. The 1923 class has been partially mobilised for some time past. When mobilisation is concluded roughly 1 million men will be under arms.—Reuter.

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"Britain", declares Mr. Herbert Morrison, British Home Secretary, "has offered to the people of India full liberty to make their own constitution for themselves even if it means complete independence."

Don't try to analyse this right honourable statement too closely. The British Home Secretary has a Super-Morrison counterpart in India with several Doras.

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Renewing ties with his old school, Harrow, Mr. Churchill is reported to have declared that "Britain was making her way through the dark valley ....."

To emerge triumphantly on to the bright and brilliant old British Empire?

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His Excellency the Viceroy has invited to observe next Sunday as "a special day of prayer and thanksgiving for the victory in Egypt."

Also, may we suggest, for Mr. Winston Churchill's Mansion House assurance.

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Mr. Jinnah Clarifies His Formula
—Headline.

Or rather lays down the law for others.

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The Executive Committee of the National Democratic Union of Madras has issued a statement to the effect the Viceroy was perfectly right in refusing Rajaji permission to meet Mahatma Gandhi.

The statement ought to be headlined: "HIC JACET COMRADE M. N. ROY.

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According to Cairo reports, it is probable that British forces are now in Benghazi.

But the bird has already flown.

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"M. Laval has been appointed presumptive successor to Marshal Petain."—Vichy report.

The actual successor, of course, is Herr Adolf Hitler.

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"How long are you in prison for, my man?" asked the prison visitor.

"Two months," replied the inmate.

"What is the charge?"

"No charge, ... everything's free."

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"Ladies and gentlemen," said a political speaker, "if we are to make this country a land fit for heroes to live in we must improve the 'status quo'."

"What is the 'status quo', guv'nor?" asked one of the audience.

The 'status quo,' my friend, explained the speaker, "is Latin for the mess we're in at present."

LIFT BAN ON KHAKSARS

LYALLPUR, Nov. 19.

Recommendation to the Government of India to lift the ban on the Khaksar organisation, in view of Allama Mashriqui's declaration to obey the conditions imposed by the Punjab Government and the Home Member's statement in the Central Assembly that Khaksars were not connected in any way with "fifth column" activities of the enemy, is made in a resolution carried at the last sitting of the Punjab Muslim League Conference this morning.

The conference also adopted another resolution requesting the Punjab Government not to permit Sikhs to carry "Nishan Sahib" (spearhead) which had been held unlawful by the High Court.

Before the conference concluded Mr. Jinnah addressed in Urdu congratulating the Muslims of Lyallpur on the success of the conference.

He advised them to unite, for if they became sufficiently powerful they would be able to make and unmake ministries.

Mr. Jinnah expressed his full sympathies with Khaksars and expected the ban would be removed and Allama Mashriqui would be a free man shortly. He hoped that the Khaksars would come under the League flag and work in co-ordination with it as they were passing through critical times and unity among Muslims was essential.—A. P.

In C. P.

M.L.A. ARRESTED

JUBBULPORE, Nov. 19.—According to information received here, 14 students of the Government High School at Hoshangabad have been rusticated for participating in the present movement.

The Municipal Cashier of Hoshangabad is reported to have been arrested. Mr. Dadabhai Naik, M.L.A., of Harda has been arrested for detention under the D.I.R.—United Press.

PATNA, Nov. 19.—A Gazette notification prohibits the selling or distributign maps of India on a scale of 32 miles or less to an inch as in the opinion of the Government, the maps "contain information likely to assist the enemy."—A.P.



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INDUS COMMISSION

Decision To Be Given By His Majesty-In-Council

NEW DELHI, November 19.

A Press Note says the Indus Commission appointed to investigate the complaint of the Sind Government against the Punjab Government about the waters of the Indus River system presented its report to the Governor-General in August.

The Punjab Government have now requested the Governor-General to refer the matter to His Majesty-in-Council.

The effect of this will be that the decision on the dispute will be given not by the Governor-General but by His Majesty-in-Council, by means of an Order-in-Council, which will be laid before Parliament.—A. P.

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The Half-Column By "Dim"

A correspondent writes:

For purposes of this letter, I wish to inform you that there are two sets of buildings in Matunga, G. I. P., the one called "Two Room Tenements" situate quite close to the Railway lines near the level crossing, and the other "Three Room Tenements" near King's Circle, on Matunga Road.

At present there are about 32 tenants in occupation out of a total of 36 in the Three Room Tenements, the balance of 4 having been "reserved" by the Municipality obviously at Government request. Most of us, if not all, have been occupying these premises for ten to fifteen years. It will interest you to know that for some time past correspondence has been going on between the Municipality and the Collector of Bombay who desires to have these premises for "fire watching" personnel. A great majority of us are employed in Government, Railway, and commercial offices in the city, engaged in war effort, and we have also large families which it is not possible to shift elsewhere in Matunga for sheer lack of suitable accommodation. As a matter of fact, not a single room or block can be had for rent in Matunga now. We don't know exactly when we will be asked to clear out of our premises, most unceremoniously I should say, with no place to go. Certainly the Government have the means and money to find accommodation elsewhere than asking us to quit. Will the fair and just Adviser Mr. Knight intervene for the sake of the poor middle class tenants engaged in war effort?

Yours faithfully,
NO-WHERE-TO-GO.

NAGPUR MUNICIPALITY

NAGPUR, Nov. 18.

Dr. Moonje's ordiance that the Hindu Sabha candidate will not contest the election for the Presidentship of the Nagpur Municipality, has created a flutter among local Hindu Sabhaites. One section favours Moonje's decision and holds that Sabha candidates have no chance in these elections and it is better to keep aloof from them rather than contest and be defeated and thus lowering the prestige of the Sabha, while the other section holds that it is better to contest and be defeated than no contest.—Orient Press.

MODY'S ASSURANCE TO INDIAN CHAMBER

CALCUTTA, Nov. 19.

The Committee of the Indian Chamber of Commerce, Calcutta, met the Hon'ble Sir Homi Mody, Supply Member, Government of India, this afternoon at the premises of the chamber.

Among the subjects discussed at the meeting were the activities of the United Kingdom Commercial Corporation, necessity of publishing a report about the working of the Indian Supply Mission in America and difficulties experienced by different commercial and industrial concerns under the Iron and Steel Control Order.

Sir Homi Mody gave a sympathetic hearing to the various points raised by the Chamber and assured to give his consideration to the same.—A. P.

Latest Commercial

COTTON

MARCH

New York, Nov. 19.

Previous closing 18.55
To-day's opening 18.55
Difference ..... —.01

CROSS RATES

T. T. NEW YORK ON LONDON
New York, Nov. 19.

Previous closing 4.03 3/4
To-day's opening .....

T. T. LONDON ON NEW YORK
London, Nov. 19.

Previous closing 4.02 1/2 sellers; 4.03 1/2 buyers.
To-day's opening 4.02 1/2 sellers; 4.03 1/2 buyers.
To-day's closing 4.02 1/2 sellers; 4.03 1/2 buyers.

LONDON COMMODITIES

SEEDS
London, Nov. 19.

Castorseeds Bombay November/December (£28 1/2 quoted) £28 1/2 quoted
Linseed Calcutta November/December (£23 quoted) £23 quoted
Linseed La Plata November/December unquoted.
Groundnuts Coromandal November/December East Coast Indian shipment (£24 1/4 quoted) £24 1/4 quoted West Coast Indian shipment (£25 quoted) £25 quoted

LONDON METALS

Electric Copper (£62) £62
Lead (£25) £25
Glasgow Iron No. 3 (131 sh.) 131 sh.

LONDON BULLION

LONDON GOLD
London, Nov. 19.

London Gold (£8-8-0) £8-8-0

LONDON SILVER
London, Nov. 19.

Spot (23 1/2d) not received
Forward (23 1/2d) not received

CROSS RATES
London, Nov. 19.

London on Bombay (1-5 1/32 sellers 1-5 31/32 buyers) 1-5 1/32 sellers; 1-5 31/32 buyers
New York on Bombay (30.35) 30.35

DISCOUNTS

3 months (1 1/16 to 1 1/16 per cent) 1 1/32 to 1 1/16 per cent.
4 months (1 1/16 to 1 1/4 per cent) 1 1/16 to 1 1/4 per cent
6 months (1 1/16 to 1 1/8 per cent) 1 1/16 to 1 1/8 per cent.

3½ PER CENT STERLING LOAN

London, Nov. 19.

3 1/2 per cent Indian Sterling Loan closed to-day at £100 11/16

AUSTRALIAN LOAN

5 per cent Commonwealth £102 1/8

BRITISH FUNDS

2 1/2 per cent British Consols £81 15/16
3 1/2 per cent Conversion Loan £106 5/8
3 per cent Conversion Loan £100 3/8
4 per cent War Loan £113 5/8
3 1/2 per cent War Loan £104 3/16
4 per cent War Loan £102
4 per cent Victory Bonds £113 7/8

INDUSTRIALS

Standard Motors 20-9
Marks and Spencer Ordinary 42-3
Electric Music Industry 17-4 1/2
Pinchin Johnson 29-9
Imperial Chemical 36-4 1/2
Woolsworth Ordinary 57-9
San Paulo 7 per cent Coffee Rate £79
Dunlop Rubber 34-7 1/2
Unilever Ordinary 34-3
Ford Motors 31-9
Cables and Wireless New Ordinary £75 3/4
British American Tobacco Ordy £4 7/8
Carreras 'A' £6 5/32
Imperial Tobacco Ordinary £6 31/32
P and O Defd 35-6
Distillers 82-9
Bredford Dyers 15-0
British Cleanese 16-3
J and P Coates 41-6
Courtaulds Ordinary 44
Fine Cotton Spinners 16-3
Vickers Limited Ordinary 18-7 1/2
Inter Nickels 46-0
Indian Iron 48-9

TEA SHARES

Assam 18-9
Donaro Tea 34-6
Empire of India 1940

JUTE

Barnagore £5

RUBBER SHARES

Anglo Dutch Rubber 14-3
Gula Kelampong 10-7 1/2
Rubber Plant 19-3

MINING SHARES

Nandydrug 19-3
Burma Corporation 6-3
Rio Tintos £10
East Rand Properties £1 31/32
Rand Mines £7 1/8

MINE SHARES

Crown £9 1/4
Associated Portland Cement 56-1 1/2
Trinidad Leasehold 75-0
Sub-Nigel £6 1/4
Spring Mines Split Shares £0 15/16
Union Corporation 153-9

OIL SHARES

Venezuela Persian 35-10 1/2
Anglo-India 74-4 1/2
Burma Oil £2 23/32
Mexican Eagle 12-1 1/2
Shell Transport £3 5/32
Royal Dutch £23 1/2

RAILWAY SHARES

Great Western Ordinary £55 3/4
London Midland Ordinary £25 1/4
London North Eastern Defd £4 1/4
London Southern Defd £21 1/8
London Transport 5 per cent £128
London Transport 'C' £55

LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE

London, Nov. 19.

The London Stock Exchange was firmer to-day.

New York Stock Exchange

New York, Nov. 19.

New York Stock Exchange opening prices: General Motors (dol 41 1/2) dol 41 5/8
Anaconda Copper Mining (dol 26 1/4) dol 26 1/8
United States Steel Common (dol 48 5/8) dol 48 1/4
United States Steel Preference (unquoted) dol 111 3/4

BOMBAY COTTON

Bombay, Nov. 19.

The local Cotton Market was officially open to-day but business was being done privately at Rs. 384 for I.C.C. January.

LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE

London, Nov. 18

Rupee paper 3 1/2 per cent	£67 3/4
Indian stock 3 1/2 per cent 1931 or later	£100 11/16
Consols 2 1/2 per cent	£81 7/8
Conversion loan 3 1/2 per cent 1961	£106 5/8
War loan 3 1/2 per cent	£104 3/16
Funding loan 4 per cent 1960/90	£113 5/8
Victory bonds 4 per cent	£114 1/4
Chartered Bank of I A and China	£8 1/2
Hongkong and Shanghai Bank (London Reg)	£70
National Bank of India	£31 1/2

BOMBAY STOCK EXCHANGE

Regular Trading In Ring

Bombay, Nov. 19.

The local share bazar resumed normal trading in the ring and a fair amount of business was put through. The Stock Exchange authorities have taken steps to avoid outside interference and the market displays normal appearance after a long time.

Tata Steel Defd shares opened to-day at Rs. 1690 and declined to Rs. 1682. Ordinary shares opened at Rs. 350 and sagged to Rs. 348. Bombay Dyeing shares opened at Rs. 1652 and after advancing to Rs. 1662 reacted to Rs. 1657. Century Mill shares were steady at Rs. 623 but later ruled quiet at Rs. 619. Kohinoor Mill shares were done at Rs. 623 and Associated Cement shares changed hands at Rs. 198. The market was steady.

TEXTILE SECTION.

Ahmedabad Advance 410; Bharat Mills 81; Bom. Dyeing 1557/8; Cent. India 401; Century 618; Colaba 232; Dawn 925; E. D. Sassoon 3-8 1/2; Finlay 304; Gokak 348; Hindustan 3350; Ind. Manfg. 3400; Ind. Bleaching 234; Indore Malwa 806/4; Khatau 358/12; Kohinoor 642; Lakshmi 1180; Madhowji 24; Minerva 150; Model Nagpur 341/4; Morarji 825; Mysore 196 N; New Great 355; Phoenix 560 N; Podar Mills 271/4; Sassoon Silk 108; Sholapur 8500; Simplex 261; Svadeshi 445; Swan 295; Tata Mills 71; Vishnu 2200 N; Western India 2650.

INSURANCE SECTION.

Bom. Life 162/8N; Empire Life 670; Ind. Mercantile 70; Indust. and Prudent. 34, Jupiter 16,10; New India 59/8; Oriental 4300; Vulcan 10/2;

HYDRO AND ELECTRIC.

Ahmedabad 183/12; Ajmere 13/7; And. Val. Ordy 1710 N; Bom. Tram Ordy 142/8; Bom. Suburban 196/4 N; Broach 13; Karachi 225; Poona 238/12; Surat 185; Surat New Rs. 50 Pd. Prem. 70; Tata Hydro Ordy 182 N; Tata Power Ordy 1650.

BANK SECTION.

Bank of India 155; Baroda 126; Bom. Provincial 52; Central 56/4; Imperial F. P. 1640; Imperial P.P. 410; Reserve 103/8; Union 7/4.

PREFERENCE SHARES.

7 p.c. And. Val. T 1580; 6 p.c. Bom. Steamer T 330 N; 7 p.c. Bom. Tram T F 79/8; 6 p.c. Central India TF 682/8 6 1/2 p.c. Jupiter TF 16; 6 1/2 p.c. Surat TF 192/8; 6 1/4 p.c. Prem. Const. 1st T 130; 6 1/4 p.c. Prem. Const. 2nd T 121/4; 6 p.c. Tata I. and S. 1st T 210; 7 1/2 p.c. Tata I. and S. 2nd T 139/8; 7 p.c. Tata Hydro T 163/8; 7 1/2 p.c. Tata Power T 1610; 7 p.c. Vishnu 770.

DEBENTURES.

4 p.c. And. Valley 104/12; 4 p.c. Tata Power 100 N; 5 p.c. Shol. Rs. 64/Pd. 72/12; 5 p.c. Marsland Price 113/8; 5 p.c. Morarji 102/12

RAILWAY SECTION.

Ahmedabad Prantej 925; Cent. Provinces 106; Dhond Baramati 105; Gujerat 107; Hoshiarpur Doab 97; Mandra Bhon 108/8; Mymensing Rebate 101; Mymensing Gtd. 105; Pachora Jamner 98; Sara Sirajganj 102; Sialkot Narowal 115; Sialkot New 46/8; Sind Light 77; Upper Sind Light 114.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Alembic Chemical 300; Alcock Ashdown 580; Asso. Cement C 199; B. B. Petrol 2-1 1/8; Bel. Sugar 218; Bom. Burma Old 345; Bom. Burma New 120; Bom. Steamer 435; Ind. Radio Ordy. 367 N; Ind. Radio Defd. 360; Invest. Trust 51/8; Prem. Const. C 133; Port Canning 88; Scindia 26/4; Shivrajpur 57/8; Tata Ordy 350; Tata Defd 1650; Tata Chemical 21/12; Tata Oil 76; Wimco 270; Burma Corp. 3/5; B. I. C. 6/1; Ind. Copper 2/7; Ind. Iron 32/8; Steel Corp. Bengal 22/8; New Vict. Ordy. 9/8.

GOVT. SECURITIES

Bombay, Nov. 19.

2 3/4 per cent 1948/52 Loan 98/16
3 1/2 per cent G. P. Notes 94
3 per cent 1949/52 100/3
3 per cent 1951/54 Loan 99/14
3 1/2 per cent 1947/50 Loan 103/5
3 per cent 1963/65 Loan 98/8
4 per cent 1943 Bonds 102/1
4 per cent 1960/70 Loan 110/2
4 1/2 per cent 1955/50 Loan 114
3 per cent 1946 Def. Loan 102/10

TAX-FREE LOANS.

5 per cent 1945/55 Loan 109
4 per cent 1953/63 Mysore 116/8
5 per cent 1955 Mysore 127/8

CORPORATION DEBENTURES

4 per cent B. P. T. 1974 107/8
4 per cent M. Deb. 1974 109
5 per cent M. Deb 1959 117
6 per cent M. Deb 1954 127
6 per cent K. P. T. 1956 136
Tone: Steady

MONEY MARKET

Bombay, Nov. 19.

LONDON—
Banks buying 90 Days/St 1/6 9/32 Two Months
Banks buying 90 Days/St. 1/6 5/16 Three Months
Banks buying 90 Days/St 1/6 5/16 Four Months
B. C. Rates T T 1/5 15/16 D D 1/5 15/16
Banks selling T T 1-5 31/32 D D 1-5 31/32
Banks buying T T 1/6 1/32 D D 1/6 5/32
LONDON/NEW YORK—
Banks selling T T Rs. 332 3/4 D D Rs. 332 3/4.
Banks buying T T Rs. 329 1/2 D D Rs. 326 1/2
LONDON/MONTREAL—
Banks selling T T Rs. 302 1/2 D D L Rs 302 1/2.
Banks buying T T Rs. 297 3/4 D D Rs. 294 3/4
LONDON/BERNE—
Banks selling T T Fcs 126 3/4
Banks buying T T Fcs 131 1/2
LONDON/STOCKHOLM—
Banks selling T T K 123 D D K 123
Banks buying T T K 128 D D K 128
MEXICO/LONDON—
Banks selling T T Rs. 67.27 D D Rs. 66.27
Banks buying T T Rs. 63.04 D D Rs 62.04
LISBON/LONDON—
Banks selling T T Esc 7.35 nom. D D Esc 7.35 nom.
Banks buying T T Esc 7.55 D D Esc 7.55
AUSTRALIA/LONDON—
Banks selling T T 1/10 3/8 D D 1/10 3/8
Banks buying T T — D D 1/11 3/8
Tone of Sterling Exchange:—Steady.
Gold £8-8-0 Ready
New York Silver 44 3/4
London Silver 23 1/2 Ready 23 1/2 Forward
London Discounts 3 months 1 1/16 per cent
London Discounts 6 months 1 1/8 per cent
Reserve Bank Rate 3 per cent
Bank of England Rate 2 per cent
Money:—Call and 1 to 3 months not quoting.
4 to 6 months 1/4 per cent
7 to 12 months 1/2 per cent
Tone:—Very easy.

GOLD AND SILVER

Bombay, Nov. 19.

The local market opened very steady at Rs. 107 for forward silver and declined to Rs. 106. Ready Silver opened at Rs. 109/8 and eased off to Rs. 108 on realising. Gold was quoted at Rs. 65.

LONDON EXCHANGES

London, Nov. 18

T T London on:—
New York sellers 4.02 1/2 buyers 4.03 1/2
Madrid official 40.5
Montreal sellers 4.43 buyers 4.47
Zurich sellers 17.3 buyers 17.4
Stockholm sellers 16.85 buyers 16.95

NEW YORK COTTON MARKET

Bombay, Nov. 19.

On Wednesday, the New York cotton market was steady with moderate trade buying. Professional activity was limited and the market is inclined to await Washington action in connection with price fixing. However cotton growers with improved economic situation are holding their arrivals of new crop for higher prices.

The market opened at a decline of one point with March quoted 18.55. There was a steady flow of buyers and March advanced to 18.66. The market finally closed at a net rise of 9 to 10 points. Spot cotton prices improved 13 points at 20.29c. per lb.

The New Orleans cotton futures market was also steady and closed at a rise of 8 points. Spot cotton prices were raised 14 points at 19.26c. per lb.

NEW YORK COTTON
New York, Nov. 18.

December	18.56+09
January	18.60+10
March	18.66+10
Middling Spot	20.29+13

NEW ORLEANS COTTON
New York, Nov. 18.

December	18.75+08
January	18.78+08
March	18.86+08
Middling Spot	19.25+14

NEW YORK COTTON NOON CALL
New York, Nov. 18.

December	18.53
March	18.60
May	18.64

LONDON SILVER
London, Nov. 18

Spot	23 1/2
Forward	23 1/2

LONDON GOLD
London, Nov. 18

Gold Bars Fine per oz.	£8-8-0

LONDON PRODUCE
London, Nov. 18

Wheat Rosario Santa Fe Nov/Dec quoted	26
Wheat South Australia Nov/Dec quoted	28

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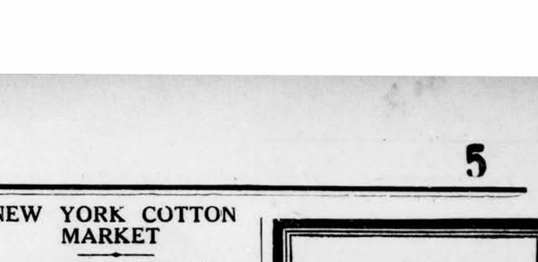
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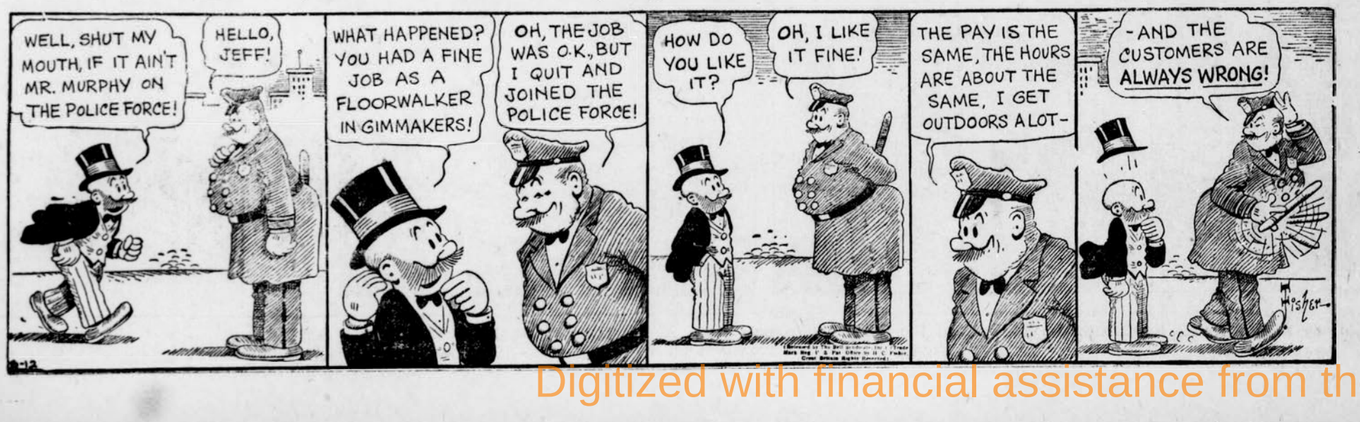
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MUTT AND JEFF—Oh, Well! That Makes Everything as Clear as Mud — By BUD FISHER



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TWO MORE DOCTORS ARRESTED IN CITY

BOMBAY, Thursday.

Tow more well-known medicos of the city were put under arrest in the early hours of this morning by the city C. I. D.

They are Dr. Banerji and Dr. Manohar. The former has his dispensary in the Fort area, and the latter belongs to the J. J. Hospital.

Both the doctors are alleged to have been involved in some acts of sabotage. Their residences were searched, but nothing incriminating was found.

MAULVI ABDUL BARI ARRESTED

SYLHET, Nov. 18.

Satyendra Nath Kar, a Congress worker, has been sentenced to one month's R. I. under the D. I. R. by the Sub-Divisional Officer, South Sylhet. Maulvi Abdul Bari of Darulul Ulema Madrassa, Maulvi Bazar, was arrested at Khalijuri Hat under the D. I. R. and remanded to jail custody.



Eddie Bracken and Dorothy Lamour in "The Fleet's In" at Excelsior.

"THE FLEET'S IN" AT EXCELSIOR

"The Fleet's In," the new Paramount comedy with music, arrives at Excelsior from to-day (Friday).

Topping the choice entertainment crew are stars Dorothy Lamour, William Holden and Eddie Bracken, whose performances are as zesty as ocean breezes.

The millions of Lamour fans who have followed her through jungle and tropical island adventures are going to generate new enthusiasm for this film queen who doesn't appear in her famous sarong in "The Fleet's In".

"Kiss The Boys Goodbye" At Palace

Paramount's new musical comedy, "Kiss The Boys Goodbye" starring Don Ameche and Mary Martin, is the current attraction.

The picture for this Sunday morning show at Palace is "Perfect Specimen" starring Errol Flyn and Joan Blondell.

"Two-Faced Woman" At Aurora

This M. G. M. picture casts Greta Garbo as a ski instructress in a winter resort where she meets Melwyn Douglas, and after a violent courtship marries him. When Douglas is subsequently attracted by the charms of Constance Bennett, Garbo breaks up this little affair by masquerading as her twin sister.



Ann Sheridan in 'Juke Girl' at Metro.

"My Gal Sal" At Regal

Rita Hayworth, America's Inspiration Girl, in 20th Century-Fox's Technicolor musical "My Gal Sal" will be at Regal from to-day.

Rita's starred with Victor Mature, John Sutton and Carole Landis, in this gay and up-to-the minute story of the life of Paul Dresser, famous composer of "My Gal Sal" "On The Banks of The Wabash" and a hundred and one other hit tunes. The picture has been mounted lavishly with nothing spared to make it an outstanding film musical, and Director Irving Cummings has seen to it that everything fits neatly into place so that the film is geared to delight all moviegoers.

"My Gal Sal" will also be shown on Sunday at 10-30 a. m. at evening prices.

SUNDAY SHOW AT METRO

On Sunday, November 22nd at 10 a.m. Eleanor Powell, Ann Sothern and Robert Young in the happiest musical hit "Lady Be Good"—A Metro Goldwyn Mayer picture.



Rita Hayworth and Victor Mature in 'My Gal Sal' at Regal.

"Too Many Husbands" At Capitol

Somerset Maugham's "Too Many Husbands," a hit play of marital merriment brought to the screen by distinguished Wesley Ruggles. It is at Capitol from Saturday.

Lovely Jean Arthur is the perplexed wife of Columbia's "Too Many Husbands," MacMurray and Melvyn Douglas are the husbands whom she loves!

"Hi, Gang!" At Empire

"Hi, Gang!" comes to New Empire from to-day (Friday) complete with vivacious Bebe Daniels and wisecracking Vic Oliver, Sam Browne, the Green Sisters Jay Wilbur and his Band are also there.

The story of the birth of "Hi, Gang!", the radio show which ran for a year and was made into a film by Gainsborough Pictures, is the story of three Americans living in the heart of blitzed Britain who determined to do their best to entertain the country in war-time without any gain for themselves.

SUNDAY SHOW AT CAPITOL

"I Give My Life" with Danielle Darrieux, Anton Walbrook, will be shown at Capitol at 10-30 a.m. on Sunday.

Programme At Paradise

From Friday 20th to Monday 23rd, 20th Century Fox Picture "Western Union" in technicolor featuring Robert Young and Randolph Scott, will be shown at Paradise (Mahim).

From Tuesday 24th to Thursday 26th, Fox's soul-stirring drama "Maryland" in technicolor featuring Walter Brennan, Fay Bainter, John Payne and Brenda Joyce, will be the attraction.

Sunday 22nd, Morning 10-30 a.m., "Last Days of Pompeii" will be shown.

"Juke Girl" At Metro

Warner Bros.' "Juke Girl" starts its run from to-day (Friday) at Metro. In the starring roles are Ann Sheridan, fresh from her triumph in "Kings Row," and Ronald Reagan who has an impressive list of fine performances to his credit.

"Juke Girl" is a film that really packs a wallop and there's no letdown in the suspense-taden plot. The story takes place in a little Florida town where itinerant fruit pickers work hard all day and their main source of entertainment is the local "Juke joint" where Ann Sheridan works as a hostess.

Babes On Broadway" At Strand

"Babes On Broadway", starring Mickey Rooney and Judy Garland will be released at Strand from to-day (Friday).

Mickey Rooney and Judy Gerland head a talented cast of youngsters who include Ray MacDonald, Richard Quine and Virginia Weidler, with Fay Bainter, Donald Meek and James Gleason lending their capable support.

Sunday morning at 10-30 a. m. "The Sea Hawk" starring Errol Flynn and Brenda Marshall, will be exhibited.

Arrests For Shouting Slogans Near Court

NEW DELHI, Nov. 18.

A batch of six persons visited the District Court this morning and shouted Congress slogans in front of the City Magistrate's Court and the Deputy Commissioner's office. They were taken into custody by the police guard.

A number of others were also arrested later on suspicion.—A. P.

Madras Papers Resume Publication

MADRAS, Nov. 19.

In pursuance of the decision taken at a meeting of the editors of Suspended Newspapers of Madras on Tuesday last, the "Free Press" and the "Bharat Devi" resumed Publication to-day. The Indian Express, the "Dhinamani" and the Andhra Prabha are resuming publication to-morrow.—A. P.



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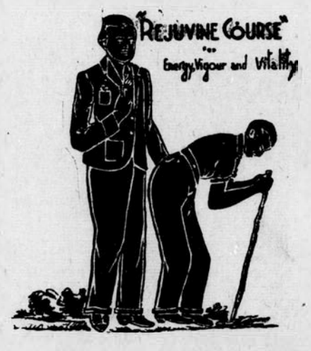
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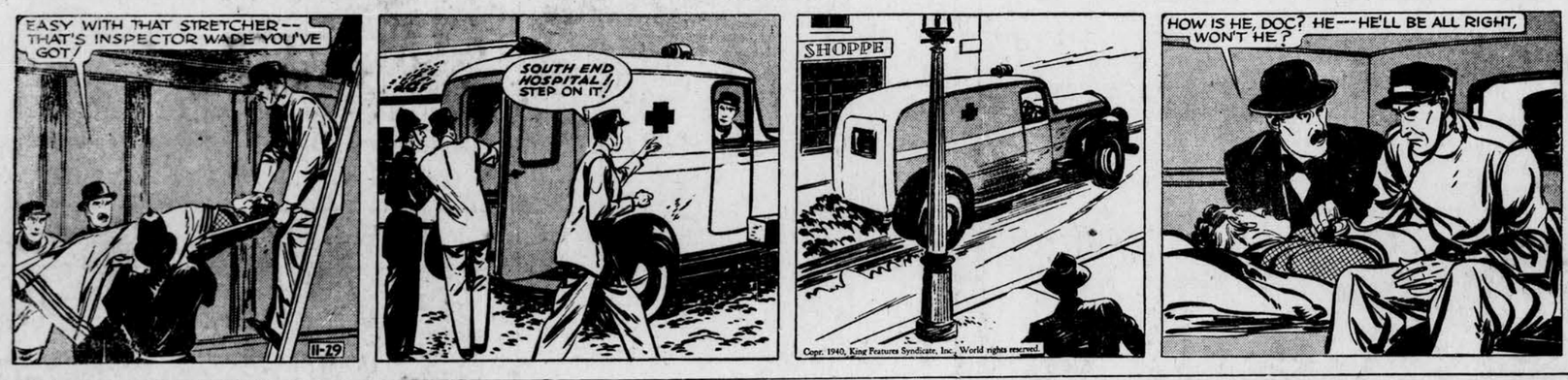
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